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Juan P. Somoano, P.G. Vice President Glenn Springs Holdings, Inc. 5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 110 Houston, Texas 77046

Re:

Proposed Supervising Contractor

Operable Unit Two of the Diamond Alkali Superfund Site

Dear Mr. Somoano:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency received your letter of October 14, 2016 designating Tetra Tech, Inc. as the Supervising Contractor for the remedial design of the lower 8.3 miles of the Lower Passaic River, Operable Unit Two of the Diamond Alkali Superfund Site, and conveying Tetra Tech's qualifications and Quality Management Plan. This letter serves as an authorization to proceed pursuant to Paragraph 44 of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for Remedial Design (CERCLA Docket No. 02-2016-2021).

We look forward to working with you on this project. Please let me know if you have any questions at 212-637-4427.

Sincerely yours,

Alice Yeh

Remedial Project Manager

Emergency and Remedial Response Division

cc: Jay Nickerson, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection